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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**Mail Stop Patent Application  
Commissioner for Patents  
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**NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL**

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of Inventors Mike L. Smith and John R. Leszczyna for "Inflation and Deflation Apparatus."

1. This new application is for a utility patent. This application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/511,047 filed October 14, 2003.
2. Papers enclosed which are required for filing date under 37 CFR 1.53(b):
  - 13 pages of specification
  - 4 pages of claims
  - 1 page of abstract
  - 5 sheets of formal drawings
3. Also enclosed are:
  - a declaration executed by the inventors (2 pages)

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- an information disclosure statement, form SB08, and copies of references

4. Fee calculation (37 CFR 1.16) for a regular application:

<u>Claims as Filed</u>						
<u>Number Filed</u>			<u>Number Extra</u>		<u>Rate</u>	<u>Basic Fee</u>
						<u>\$770.00</u>
Total	20	-20	0	X	18.00	0
Independent	2	-3	0	X	86.00	0
Multiple Dependent	0			+	290.00	<u>0</u>
Filing Fee Calculation						\$770.00

5. Small Entity Status is claimed. The small entity basic filing fee (50% of \$770.00) is \$385.00.

6. Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$385.00.

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